TUESDAY. APRIL. 1, 1879.

EVENT and COMMENT.

Patrick Smith and Julius Christian. colored, who murdered Mr. Jno. C. Lacy, of New Kent county, Va. last Janus ary, were hanged at Tunstall's in that county last Tuesday.

Judge J. M. Elliot of the Court of Appeals, was shot and instantly killed with a double-barrelled shot gun in the hands of Thos. Buford, in the streets of
Frankfort, Ky., on the 26th of March.

Judge Elliot had rendered an adverse decision in a case Buford had had in the

decision in a case Buford had had in the Court for some time.

A famine is prevailing in upper Egypt along the valley of the Nile. The conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the conded by law for the Circuit Court Judges with the circuit Court Judges wi rending. In some villages the people Law Court shall be the same as in the thing that deserves it, and then they are past help, sitting naked, like wild Circuit Courts of this State; and, whenbeasts, eating roots and suffering with the endurance of despair.

SPECIAL COURT BILL. An Act to establish a Chancery and Law Court at Bristol, in the county of

Sullivan.
Sec. 1. Be it enacted by the General
Assembly of the State of Tennessee.
That the 17th Civil District of Sullivan
Chargery dis County shall constitute a Chancery dis and discharge certain duties, and said town of Bristol by the Chancellor of the First Chancery Division of this State, on the 2d Mondays of June and December of each and even user.

of each and every year.

Sec. 2. Be it further enacted, That the Chancellor of said Division shall, immediately after the passage of this act. appoint a Clerk and Master for said Court who shall perform all the duties, have all the rights and powers and be concluments that are now allowed by law to the various Sheriffs of this State. Sec. 15. Be it further enacted. That have all the rights and powers, and be Court at Bristol, and shall by himself or deputy keep an office in the town of Bristol for the transaction of all business subject to all the duties and liabilities now by law imposed upon such officers, and shall have all the fees and encounand shall have all the fees and emoluments as are now allowed to such officers,
and before entering upon the doties of
said office, he shall execute the several
bonds now required by law for Clerk- and
Masters, to execute, and shall keep his
office in the town of Bristol.

Sec. 3. Be it lurther enacted, That
the Sheriff of said Sullivan c anty and
his deputies shall serve as the officers of
March, July and November, of each

said Court, and shall obey all orders and execute all processes as now required by said every year, designate twelve good with the orders of the Chancery siding in said 1st 24 17th and 19th dis-Courts of said Sullivan county; he shall execute separate bonds for the faithful Court for the term immediately ensuing ; performance of his duties, as such officer after their designation the said Justices of said Court, and shall have all the rights and be subject to the same penal- the Clerk of said Law Court, who shall tice and receive the same compensation, as now provided by law, for the various Sheriffs of this State.

Sec. 4. Be it further enacted. That the fines and forfeitures arising or growshall be disposed of as fines and forfeit ures which are now collected in the Chan cery Courts of this State.

Sec. 5. Be it further enacted, That any suits now pending or hereafter brought in the Chancery Court at Bloumville. may, by consent of the parties, he transferred to the Chancery Court at Bristol; That, upon application of the parties for a removal as aforesaid, the Clerk and Master at Blountville shall transmit all the citizens of the town of Bristol shall the papers in the case together with a pay all expenses incurred, or to be incur-Clerk of the Chancery Court at Bristol; also a bill of the costs accrued in said Court at Blountville.

Sec. 6. Be it further enacted. That the citizens of the first, second and nine-teenth civil districts of said Sullivan county may bring their suits in equity in said court at Bristol against any citizen residing within said Civil Districts; but no citizen residing out of said 1st 2d and 19th civil districts shall be sued in said Court, unless the subject of said suit is situate in said civil districts.

Sec. 7. Be it further enacted. That no citizen of said 17th civil district of said

county shall be sued in the Chancery Court at Blountville for said county, unless it be in a local action, to which said Court has exclusive jurisdiction by reason of the location of the property about which the action may be brought

Sec. 8. Be it further enacted. counterparts of write may issue from said Court against joint defendants residing or living beyond the limits of said 17th civi district in all cases where the Cours bas the legal or rightful jurisdiction of the subject matter of the litigation.

Sec. 9. Be it further concred. The the expense of creeting or providing a Court House, and all necessary offices for said Court shall be paid by the citizens of that the man chiefly wants a wife. If the town of Bristol, and none of the citizens of this is all he needs servants can do it gens of Sullivan county residing out of the limits of the town of Bristol, shall ever be taxed to pay any portion of the expenses of erecting or providing any of said public buildings at Bristol.

Sec. 10. Be it further enacted. That there shall be held in Bristol, in the County of Sullivan, a Law Court for the 17th Civil District of said county, to be called the Law Court of Bristol, and to constitute one of the Courts of the First Judicial Circuit, and to be held by the Judge thereof with Common law jurisdic-tion, original and appellable over all

causes of a civil nature arising within said 17th Civil District.

Sec. 11. Be it further enacted. That meets failures and defeats, trials and some one to stand by him and aympathe citizens of the 1st, 2d, and 19th ditricts of said county may bring their civil thize. All through life, through storm actions in said law court against citizens and through sunshine, through conflict of the said first, second, seventeenth and nineteenth districts of said county it they so desire, and said law Court shall have ing winds, man needs a woman's love .and exercise jurisdiction over the same as His heart yearns for it. if all the parties resided in the said 17th eivil district, and all eivil causes heart and determined before any Justice or Justices of the Peace of said 1-t, 2d, 17th and 19th districts may be appealed. brought up by writs certiorari to said asked him: Friend, hast thou felt in thy with civility, but do not repay them law Court: Provided, the Paintiff or pocket for him? law Court: Provided, the Painting defendant reside in said first, second, seventeenth or nineteenth discricts, and either of them demands such appeal, or writs of certiorari. Said law Court shall ars a story of a generous child, asked

such cases as if the same had been heard by a Justice or Justices of the Peace of said 17th civil district. Sec. 12. He is further enasted. That want yourself."



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in any civil action, unless the cause of ac-

tion is of such a local nature as to give

the Circuit Court of Sullivan county pe-

culiar or exclusive jurisdiction; in all causes, as provided for in this section,

where the right is so waived the said

Law Court shall have and exercise juris-diction over them as if the same had been brought by citizens of the 17th civil dis-

1st. 2d, 17th. and 19th districts.

the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Sullivan

county shall be the Clerk of the said Law

of March, July and November, of each

siding in said 1st, 24. 17th and 19th dis-

tricts, to serve as Jurors to said Law

shall hand a list containing said Jurors to

immediately issue a writ of venire facias.

commanding the Sheriff to summon said

Jurors, named in said writ, to attend as Jurors. If said Justices fail to designate

said Jurors the Judge shall, at the open-

ing of said Court, at each term, when

such failure occurs appoint the Jurors for

said term out of any of the citizens who

are qualified, regardless of whether they

red in creeting or providing suitable buildings for a Court House and necessary

public offices for said Law Court; and

none of the other civizens of the said 17th

Civil District, or of Sullivan county, ex-

cept the citizens of the town of Bristol,

shall ever be taxed for said purposes. Sec. 18. Be it further enacted. That

any suit or suits, of a civil nature now

pending in the Circuit Court of Sullivan

County, between the citizens of the said 1st, 2d, 17th and 19th districts, may, by

consent of the parties or their attorneys, be transferred to the Law Court at Bris-

tol, and said Court shall have and exer-

ise the same jurisdiction over them as it

they had been originally brought in said

Law Court; that all fines and forfeitures

arising from or growing out of said Law Court shall be disposed of as the fines and forfeitures which are imposed by the

That this net take effect from and after

passage the public welfare requiring

Why Men Need Wives.

It is not to sweep the house, make the

ed, darn the socks and cook the meals,

more cheaper than a wife. If this is all,

when a young man calls to see a lady,

send him into the pantry to taste the

bread and cake she has made, send him

ing, or put a broom into her hands and

send him to witness its use. Such things

will look after them. But what the

true man wants is a wife's companion-

sometimes overtaken by misfortunes, he

temptations beset him; and he needs

A teacher, after reading to her schoi-

inspect the needle work and bed-mak-

Circuit Court of Sullivan county.

the citizens of said county of Sullivan residing outside of said 1st, 2d, 17th, and 19th districts shall not be liable to be sued in said law Court at Bristol, unless Chesterfield. 1. If you have any regard for your in real actions, of which said law Court character, if you would be loved and eshas exclusive jurisdiction; but any defent teemed hereafter, your youth is the dant residing outside of said civil districts time to get the materials together, and may wave his rights and have his suit re-

> tion-the superstructure will be easily finished afterwards. 2. Whenever you find anybody incapable of attention to the same object for a quarter of an hour together, and easily diverted from it, that person is frivolous, and incapable of anything great. Let nothing divert you from the thing you are about, unless it be of much

the state of your health."

4. They say that "great wits have short memories;" but I say that only fools have short ones; because they are dition of the people is said to be heart- of this State, and the practice in said incapable of attention, at least to anycomplain of want of memory.

2. Can anything be more flattering any cause of action, counterpart of any than to be acknowledged to excel in original writs may issue from said Court for joint defendants residing outside of whatever one attempts? can idleness and dissipation afford any pleasure Sec. 14 Be it further enacted, That equal to that? Qui nil molitur inepte was the Sheriff of said Sulliivan county shall, said of Homer, and is the best thing

that can be said of anybody. 6. Dancing is in itself a very trifling, silly thing, but it is one of those established follies to which people of sense are sometimes obliged to conform: and then they should be able to do it well.

form all the duties pertaining to said Law Court, and have all the fees and 7. Dress is a very foolish thing, and yet it is a very foolish thing for a man not to be well dressed according to his same stair. Dressed as a monk, with tion that it prevented sickness, and rank and way of life; and it is so far from being a disparagement to any man's understanding, that it is rather a proof of it to be as well dressed as those and work his way to heaven, when all of the introduction of alchohol into whom he lives with. The difference in at once the voice of God was heard cry- society as a beverage. The history this case between a man of sense and a ing in his soul, "The just shall live by of it is written in the wretchedness, fop is, that the fop values himself upon faith." Obedient to the heavenly voice, the tears, the groans, the poverty and his dress, and the man of sense laugh at he saw his error of trying to earn his murder of thousands. It has march-

he must not neglect it. man for despising the follies of men, but a fool for showing it. Be wiser than other results with the church door at Wirienberg, and to kindle the fire of the glorious reformaand every year, designate twelve good them so.

9. People who have a contempt for

mediocrity are not satisfied with escaping censure; they aim at praise, and by desiring, seldom fail deserving and ac-10. Whenever you would persuade or prevail, address yourself to the passions;

it is by them that mankind is to be taken. Cresar bade his soldiers, at the battle of Pharsalia, aim at the faces of Pompey's men. They did so and prevailed. I bid you strike at the passions; and if you do, you too will prevail. If you reside cut of said 17th civil District or can once engage people's pride, love, not; that the Jurors to said Law Court, pity, ambition (or what is their prevailcan once engage people's pride, love, shall have the same pay as the Jurors ing passion) on your side, you need not who attend the Circuit Courts of this state, and be paid as other Jurors of said you.

11. To avoid extremes, to observe prothe citizens of the town of Bristol shall priety, to consult one,s own strength and to be consistent from beginning to end, are precepts as useful for the man as for the poet ..

12. The more you know men the less you will trust them. 13. Young people have commonly an unguardedness and frankness; they con-

tract friendships easily, are credulous to professions, and are always the dupes of 14. If you would have your secret kept, keep it yourself, and, as it is possible that your friend may one day or

to put yourself in his power while he is 15. The same arts and tricks that boys play upon one another for bats, balls, and half-pence, men will make use of with you when you become a man, for

other become your enemy, take care not

other purposes. 16. Underneath this stone doth lie

As much virtue as could die, Which, when alive, did vigor give To as much beauty as could live. 17. He makes the satire who applies t-qui capit ille facit.

18. There is no surer sign in the world of a little weak mind, than inattention. 19. A man of sense sees, hears and retains everything that passes where he 20. Mind not only what people say

but how they say it: and if you have any sagacity, you may discover more truth by your eyes than by your ears. are important, and the wise young man People can say what they will; but they cannot look just as they will; and their looks frequently discover what ship, sympathy and love. A man is their words are calculated to conceal. 21. Certain forms, which all people

comply with, and certain arts, which all people aim at, hide, in some degree the truth, and give a general exterior resemblance to almost everybody. Attention and sagacity must see through and victory, through adverse and favor- that veil, and discover the natural character. 22. If a man, with whom you are but

barely acquainted, and to whom you A quaker once hearing a person tell have made no offer, nor given any marks how much he felt for another who was of friendship, makes you, on a sudden, or in distress and needed assistance, dryly strong professions of his, receive them in love with another at sight.

23. If a man use strong protestations

have and exercise jurisdiction over all them what generosity was. One little or oaths, to make you believe a thing, boy raised his hand and said. "I know; which is of itself so likely and probable never reconcile a boy to illustrate his how and run my chances!" whispered it's giving to others what you do not that the bare statement would be suffi- necessities by wearing a yellow patch on the aged adviser, as he moved over to cient, depend upon it, he lica, and is a pair of black pents.

The Wit and Wisdom of Lord highly interested in making you believe it, or else he would not take so much strange woman, Hagar, in Arabia.-

24. A good author is always the se verest critic of his own compositions. 25. Common sense points out civility, observation teaches you the manner of it, which makes it good breeding. to lay the foundation of future reputa-

26. Among women, as among men, there are good as well as bad, and it may be full as many, or more, good than among men. 17. Individuals forgive sometimes;

but bodies and societies never do. 28. Many people think it very genteel and witty to abuse the clergy-in which they are extremely mistaken; teenth century, distilled spirits spread since, in my opinion, parsons are very like men, and neither the better nor the worse for wearing a black gown.

29. Judge of individuals from your then called. The first notice we have own knowledge of them; and not from of its use in public life, was among their sex, profession, or denomination. the laborers of the Hungarian mines 30. To know a little of anything, gives of the fifteenth century. In 1751, it neither satisfaction nor credit, but often brings disgrace or ridicule.

The Only Way Near the church of St. John de Lateran at Rome is the famous Scala Sancta, or Sacred Stair, said to have been brought from Jerusalem and to be the same steps down which our Saviour walked from Pilate's hall of judgment. These steps are twenty-five in number, made of solid marble, and covered with wood to keep them from being worn away by the knees of the climbing pilgrims who come from all parts of the world. beverage, especially among the sol-Martin Lather, three centuries ago, diers in the English colonies in North found the light of the gospel on the his shaven head and bare knees, he was made men fearless on the field of batcreeping up those marble steps, hoping the. It was looked upon as a soverthereby to calm his troubled conscience eign specific. Such is a brief sketch it-at the same time that he knows that title to salvation by his own pains and ed the land with the tread of a giant, works; and leaving the city in disgust, he would have to wall his "Theses" to 8. Diogenes, the Cynic, was a wise he went home to nail his "Theses" to

Yes, Luther found the true way to heaven, not by climbing that Sacred Stair on his naked knees, but by simple faith in Jesus, who said, "I am the way, the truth, and the life; no man cometh to the Father, but by me." If you would ever enter heaven, you must do it

by the same way. That way is an ancient way. On it the saints of God have walked in every age-patriarchs like Abraham, prophets period is proved by relics found with like Peter, martyrs like Stevens, mothers like Eunice, and children like Timothy, who knew from boyhood the Holy Book, and by it became wise unto salva-

It is a narrow way; for "straight is the gate, and narrow is the way, that leadeth unto life, and few there be that

It is a holy way,-"the highway of holiness." Here is God's pass word to all who enter it,-"Except a man be born again, he cannot see the kingdom of God."

It is a difficult way. All its pilgrims, be they old or young, have some cross to carry. Like Bunyan's pilgrim, they must climb the hill Difficulty, and fight with Apollyon.

It is a safe or well guarded way,-for

travelers. Finally, it is a freely open way,-free

the good; free to all men, without money and without price, whatever the colto enter it, for you are not too young to may cut you off very soon, and your bed may soon be the little green grave. Enter it now, while your hearts are tender; for the sooner you do so, the earlier and the deeper will be your happiness .-

An old proverd says, "Envy shooteth another and woundeth itself,"

Rev. A. Bannatyne.

which shows that envy is cross-eyed. The first hours of slumber are the sweetest. If ever a man sleeps the sleep of the the just it's when he's just asleep, A farmer speaking of the thinness of

"Do you see any grapes, Bob!"-Yes; but there's dogs. "Big dogs, Bob?"
"Yes, very big." "Then come along; those grapes are not ours, you know." When fast young men in Reno get in-

one blade of grass to another."

dice to see which is the biggest liar. When an artist climbs over a fence to get a nearer view of a handsome buildeceive you, for one man does not fall dog, he must take chances of his sketch-

years ago, and I think I know something about law, yet the minute I arise to address the jury I forget all my points and can say nothing. Now, I want to ask you if this doesn't show lack of confidence in myself, and how can I overcome it?" The wise attorney shut his to a dispute instead of resorting to blows eyes and studied the case a moment bethey go into the nearest saloon and shake fore answering: "My young friend if it is lack of confidence in yourself it will some day vanish, but if it is lack of fice effects and buy a pick-axe and a

Glass. Nothing is known to a certainty regarding the invention and early history of glass; but it is supposed Ma. H. R. STEVENS 1that, as the volcanic lavas often cool into rude crystals, the ancients were induced to imitate them, and so became masters of the art. The name

"glass" is derived from an old German word signifying to shine or glis-ten. That the Egyptians understood ten. That the Egyptians understood the manufacture of glass at an early world. mummies more than three thousand years old, among which are richly carved vases and urns, paintings on glass, and artificial gems, in which amethysts, emeralds and other precious stones were imitated so successfully as to deceive the practiced eye. For many years in ancient times, glass was applied to ornamental purposes only, and much ingenuity and skill were exercised to find substitutes for the useful purposes to which we now employ it; for windows, the inhabitants of Eastern countries used linen or paper, rendered transpareut by being soaked in oil; the Chinese shaved horn, split oyster shells; the wealthy roman, thin sheets of agate or mica. Among the Esquimaux of our day large blocks of ice are inserted in their snow huts to admit the the angels encamp around it; and as the light. In the fourth century glazed mountains are round about Jerusalem, so windows were introduced into houses, the Lord Almighty is round about its and justly considered a great luxury; before the invention of glass mirrors, looms. The rich wines of antiquity

> than glass. Talked to Him Like a Father.

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Stern poverty may compel, but it can young man. "I'd buy the pickaxe any s the peg for his overcost. - Fies Piess.

plates of highly-polished metal were is the sun that shines on the evil and used, specimens of which are still preserved in many families as heiror of their skin or the land of their birth; were kept in pouches, and quaffed free to the richest, if they only become from the horns of animals, or rough poor in spirit; free to the poorest, if they stone cups; as the art of glass-makonly seek to be rich in faith; free to the ing became more generally underwisest, if they only wish to be taught of stood, it was applied to useful articles, God; and free to you, dear boys and and these rude utensils gradually disgirls. Only enter it now. You need appeared. In a liquid state glass can be be blown or wrought into alsin, and not too young to die. Death most any form or shape, from landscapes inclosed in paper weights, to dresses composed of threads as fine as the spider's web. Without the aid of glass, the investigations of science could not have been pursued-as the

telescope, microscope, and all other

optical instruments, as well as the

thermometer and barometer, depend

entirely upon it for their various uses.

To no other invention are we more

indebted, both for luxury and utilies,

A Detroit lawyer, famous for his wise and caudid opinions, was the other day his hay crop, said: "The grasshoppers visited by a young attorney, who ex-have all got lame trying to jump from plained, "I was admitted to the bar two FROM THE PLAINEST TO THE brains you had better sell out your ofing the dog, or the dog's ketching him. long-handle shovel." "But how am I to determine?" anxiously asked the